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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 14, 2001, Applicants respectfully submit the following for entry in the above-identified application.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel Claims 40-56 without prejudice.

Please amend Claims 1, 16, 18, 19, 30, 31, 37 and 39 as follows:

1. (Twice Amended) A composition of matter comprising:
  - (a) a metal powder,
  - (b) a solder powder which melts at lower temperature than the metal powder,